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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

THE EMIGRATION OF THE
NEGRO—THE DOORS OF THE
PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK
OFFAYETTEVILLE CLOSURE—
COMPLETION OF THE
GOVERNOR'S MANSION
A BIG FIRE IN LON-
DON—THE INDIAN
TROUBLES.

Senator Wolcott Speaks in Sym-
pathy of the South—Other
Items of Interest.There was snow in New York last
Friday and Saturday thirteen inches
deep.This is the first successful ice crop
that there has been in the last three
years.The cars have been loaded and
crowded every day this week with
negroes going South, especially to
Georgia.During 1890 the number of books
in the State Library were increased
by 1,531 and there are about 41,000
on the shelves.The Force bill is dead. The oppo-
sition of the bill succeeded on Tues-
day in having it laid aside in a vote
of 34 yeas against 29 nays.Secretary Redding field, of the State
Farmers' Alliance, states that there
are now ninety counties and 2,181 Sub-
Alliances in North Carolina.Three Republicans so far have had
enough back-bone to stand on the
floor of the Senate to give their can-
did views against the Force bill.The office, press and fixtures of
the Rocky Mount Argonaut were
burned on Tuesday. The publishers
have our sympathy in their loss.The business failures in the United
States during the past year are reported to
be 10,907 in number, being twenty-five
percent greater than in the year 1889.Gov. Fowle has just moved into his
newly finished mansion. It is a
magnificent structure and will add
much to the attractions of Raleigh.The Chicago Tribune, Republican,
says: "The McKlaileys seem to
have labored hard to find the short-
est and best way to wreck the Re-
publican party."The doors of the People's National
Bank of Fayetteville closed on the
31st ult. They stated the cause as
being unable to meet drafts made
upon its funds.Stephen H. Weeks, a graduate of
the University at Chapel Hill, is to
succeed Dr. C. L. Smith as instructor
in undergraduate history at John
Hopkins University.London was visited with a great
fire on the 30th ult. There was no
lives lost in the fire. The damage
and cost of property is estimated to
be about \$2,000,000.The employees of the Duke Cigar
factory at Durham were agree-
ably surprised Christmas by being
paid double their salary that week,
which amounted to \$7,000.The Indians are still on the war
path. In a hand to hand fight last
week twenty-five soldiers were killed
and thirty wounded. The en-
gagement lasted until not a single
Indian was left.The Illinois Democrats are happy
to see the Illinois State League
League formed in Chicago, and
congratulations over the recent victory
were numerous and the cheering for
"Cleveland was loud and long."It is a continuous cry about the
increase in price and the lowering
of wages, and thousands of labor-
ers are being discharged, under the
present crisis of the situation. This is
a lesson to every laborer to never
again vote the Republican ticket.The Indians are in their rag-
ged, 3,000 Sioux are on the war path.
They are burning churches and
dwellings and will not listen to any
proposals of peace. They must have
forgotten that they are tackling In-
dian Sam, who has the largest stand-
ing army in the world.A famine in Ireland seems to be
inevitable. For the distance of fifty
miles in West Cork the people are
starving. Those that were no for-
tunate than their neighbors have
divided with them until the people
of the whole county are in a starv-
ing condition and are dependent upon
the charity of those abroad for
the maintenance of life.On one day last week Senator Wol-
cott, Republican, of Colorado, made
a speech in the Senate against the
Force bill. It was highly patriotic
and broad-minded in its warn-
ing of Southern causes and
necessities. Mr. Wolcott is an able
debater and he is working for
the good of the whole Union and
not to carry out the plans of any fac-
tion or party of the Union.

You are in a Bad Fix

But we will cure you if you will
pay us. Our message is to the weak,
nervous, debilitated, who, by
early evil habits, or later indiscre-
tions, have trifled away their vigor
of body, mind and marrow, and
suffer all those effects which lead to
premature decay, consumption or in-
sanity. If this means you, send for
and read our BOOK OF LIFE, writ-
ten by the greatest Specialist of the
day, and sent (sealed) for 6 cents in
stamps. Address Dr. Parker's Medi-
cal and Surgical Institute, 151 North
Spruce St., Nashville, Tenn.

Teacher—You say there are six
senses? Why, I have only five.
Scholar—I know it sir. The sixth
one is common sense.—Detroit Free
Press.

STATE CAPITAL.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY CON-
VENES—CANDIDATES FOR
CLERKSHIPS AND OTHER
POSITIONS IN ABUND-
ANCE.A Sermon Remarkably Fine—
Wake Court in Session This
Week With a New Judge,
New Solicitor, New
Clerk and New Sheriff.

(Editorial Correspondence.)

YARBOROUGH HOUSE,
Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 6th, '91.

When we reached here, but few
members had arrived; but nearly
every one of the candidates for po-
sitions from assistant door-keeper to
the principal clerks and the speaker-
ship were on the ground and anxiously
watching for Senators and Represen-
tatives. There were two candi-
dates on the train that brought me,
and I was the only victim. In less
than an hour after arriving I had
been interviewed by every candi-
date and their assistant lobbyists.
Remembering that I was a newspa-
per man, in self-defense I began in-
terviewing them. I asked some big
favor in all seriousness, of every one
that approached me, which immedi-
ately put a quiescent on them.

At this writing it is difficult to pre-
dict who will be Speaker of the
House, but I will try to telegraph
the result of the election in time for
this issue of the paper. The caucus
will be held to-night. The leading
candidate from the West is R. A.
Doughton, of Allegheny. This is his
third term in the House. In the
last Legislature he advocated and
voted for the Railroad Commission,
and also the Cooke bill. Though a
lawyer he is in sympathy with the
reformers advocated by the Alliance,
and his father is President of the Al-
legheny County Alliance. He is a
man of ability and with experience
in legislative and parliamentary us-
age, and would make an excellent
speaker; but the West has had the
speakership three or four times in
succession, so the East, other things
being equal, is certainly entitled to
it this time. If the Eastern mem-
bers will be sensible and unite they
can elect a man. A letter has just
been received from Col. Harry Skin-
ner saying that he would not be a
candidate. This leaves the fight be-
tween Mr. A. D. Jones, of Wake,
and Col. Thos. H. Sutton, of Cum-
berland, both of whom are highly
competent and deserving.

We attended services at the First
Baptist church on Sunday. This is
an imposing structure, situated on
the west side of the capitol square.
We expected to hear simply a com-
mon-place sermon, for we had never
heard of Dr. Carter, the pastor, and
for that matter by any of the pastors
of the other churches here) and it
has been sometime since we have
seen a sermon reported by any of the
Raleigh papers. Therefore we took
it for granted that the sermons were
not worth reporting. So we went to
this church (because it was nearest)
on Sunday and sat down more from
a sense of duty than anything else.
The pastor (not very prepossessing
in appearance) arose and commenced
his discourse in a cracked squally
voice. We settled ourself in a seat
as comfortably as possible to be bored
for probably an hour. Dr. Carter
had not been preaching more than
five minutes before we straightened
up and began to listen closely, and in
this attentive position we remained
during the entire discourse. It was
(in spite of the poor delivery) one
of the most interesting and impres-
sive sermons we have ever heard in
many a day. Text: "We pass our
lives as a story which is told,"
which was taken from the 9th verse
of the 90th Psalm. Subject: "The
Story of Life." The learned Doctor
discussed his subject under three di-
visions, viz: Life is checked, life is
short, life often ends abruptly.
Under these three heads, the philo-
sophy of life, from the time we enter
upon this temporal existence with a
cry till we launch into the great
eternity with a groan, was presented
with a profundity of reasoning
unembellished with such a breadth of
knowledge and richness of illustra-
tion, and intensified with such a depth
of earnestness and fire of feeling as
we have seldom had the privilege of
hearing. It is to be regretted that
the newspapers do not report more
frequently than they do such sermons.
But we suppose they do not dare
to do so on account of the lame-
nable prejudice existing between
denominations; but this paper is not
built that way, it reports whatever
is worth reporting, no matter from
what source it comes and no matter
whom it pleases or displeases. After
furnishing this discourse proper, the
divine, pausing a minute, said: "To-
day is the first Sabbath of the first
year of the last decade of the 19th
century," and then proceeded to give

a critical resume of the events of the
past-year. This was so fine that if
we had space to report it as he said
it, it would be copied by half of the
papers of North Carolina. In refer-
ring to the great and good effect the
Farmers' Alliance had had upon the
recent elections he said that it had
so frightened the demagogues and
the politicians that nine tenths of
these were ready to aware that they
believed in the Alliance and had
done so all their lives. In referring
to the recent death of the King of
Holland he drew a striking contrast
between him and the great and good
and wise William, Prince of Orange,
of whom the late disreputable King
was the last made descendant. In
this connection he paid his respects
to the Darwinian theory, showing
how the lowest of the species man
had evolved from the highest, and
so on, but we must stop. We will
go to hear every preacher here, and
if none please us as well as Dr. Car-
ter, then we will give him only the
remainder of our Sabbaths here.

Wake Court convened here yester-
day. Every officer connected with
the Court from Sheriff and Clerk to
Solicitor and Judge are serving for
the first time in their several capaci-
ties. Winston is the Judge and Pou
is the Solicitor, the youngest Judge
and the youngest Solicitor in the
State. Everything is working as
smoothly as if they were old hands
at the business.

By the next issue we can tell you
of some of the doings of the Legis-
lature. Keep an eye on the proceed-
ings. M. B.

A HEROINE OF SIXTEEN.

The Extraordinary Story From the
Quetta.

In the history of this country there
has, perhaps, never been known an in-
stance of a young girl, orphaned, and
placed, then, in the hands of a
Lace, a young girl under 16 years of age,
at the time of the wreck of the Quetta.
As Miss Leary is related to some personal
friends of my own I have asked permis-
sion to publish in a few more particulars
about her. She is a very young girl,
aged 13, who came to England to com-
plete her education. When the crash
came, Emily immediately rushed to
the cabin to try and rescue her
younger sister, and the two, succeeded
in reaching the deck, where, however,
they were at once separated; and they
never met afterward. Miss Leary says
that as the vessel was going down a
gunman in whose care the girls were said
to be, "You look after yourself and I
will take care of May." Both this
gentleman, however, and the little sister
were drowned.

When we got aft, she says, "the
ship suddenly went down, and I
drinking in the water I thought I
was going to be drowned. But I came
up again and was surrounded by Cin-
gales and sheep. I felt myself being
pressed down by them. I was terrified.
Then I saw a raft, a short distance
away, and I saw a man, who was
dragged on it by the water, who was
very kind to me. We were at-
tached to a bigger raft crowded with
Cingales. When we got away some
distance, the Cin- gales, who were
noisy, we cut our raft apart, and I re-
mained on her with the purpose for a
long time, till we were, as I thought, 3 miles
from the shore; and, as he told me, that
he could not swim, I left him and swam
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as it was so far away. I went, on swim-
ming toward the land, and saw another
raft, on which were two Cin- gales, to
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When lifted out of the water she could
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her tenderly in the bottom of the boat.
For 20 consecutive hours she had been
swimming and floating, sometimes on
her back, sometimes on her side. She
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DUNRAVEN RANCH.

A Story of American Frontier
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CHAPTER VII.



OR a moment there was
silence in the brightly lit
room. The man, who had
been so full of life and vigor, now
lay motionless on the floor, his
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this night you may confidently look for
another visit. I say that to you also,
Mr. Maitland, and you owe it to your
household that there has been no blood-
shed here to-night."

Old Maitland's tremulous tones were
heard but a second in reply when he was
interrupted by a coarse voice from the
crowd of ranchmen, by this time in-
creased to nearly a dozen men. Some
of them were gathering about Perry as
he sat in the saddle, and an applauding
echo followed the loud interruption:

"Give the swell a lift, Tunny; 'twill
teach him better manners."

Almost instantly Perry felt his right
foot grasped and a powerful form was
bending at the stirrup. He had heard
of the trick before. Many a time has
he London called unbroken the English
trooper, taken unawares, by hurling him
with sudden lift from below. But Perry
was quick and active as a cat. Seat and
saddle, too, were in his favor. He sim-
ply threw his weight on the left foot and
the right leg swung over the horse's back
until released from the brawny hand, then
back came as he settled again in the
saddle, his powerful thighs gripping like
a vice; at the same instant, and before
the voice of the over-seer or manager
could get out of the way, he had whipped
heavy Colt's revolver and brought its
butt with stunning crash down on the
ranchman's defenseless head.

There was instant rush and commotion.
In vain old Maitland feebly piped his
protest from the veranda; in vain the
over-seer seized and held back one or two
of the men and furiously called off the
rest. Alid by the darkness which
veiled them, the crowd opened a simulta-
neous rush upon the young officer and
sought to drag him from his plunging
horse. Perry held his pistol high in air,
threatened with the butt the nearest as-
sailant, yet leapt to use further force.
A feeble noise, followed by a deadly
sigh, was the only response. More brandy
poured into the gaping mouth rendered
only to strangle and distress him. No
sign of returning consciousness rewarded
his effort.

"If Mrs. Cowan would only come!
She has never failed us before; and we
so lean upon her at such a time."

"Pray tell me which way to go. Sure-
ly I can find my way to the house."

"Mr. Maitland is searching for her
now, or he would have returned by this
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STATE PRESS.

There are now 2,181 Farmers' Alliances in the State. There are ninety-six county Alliances, Dade county having recently been organized.

God be thanked for books! They are the voices of the distant and the dead, and make us heirs of the spiritual life of past ages.—William Ellery Channing.

It is estimated that in 1892 there will be 1,000,000 names on the pension rolls, and that the expenditures then will reach \$200,000,000, more than enough to run this government economically administered.—W.H. Star.

The Illinois Democrats are happy. The Illinois Tariff Reform League, formed in Chicago, and congratulations over the recent victories were numerous and the cheering for Cleveland was loud and long.—W.H. Messenger.

It would not be advisable for a druggist to advertise "ice cold soda" in January, nor "artificial overshoots" for the retail trade to be pushed with much energy in June; but outside of a few articles which have their season, it is admitted by the most consistent advertisers that the best time to advertise is—all the time.

The Norfolk Landmark well says: The leading financial and industrial papers of the country predict a continuance of prosperous times and an easier money market. Everything points to improvement. The general movement toward development and prosperity will culminate next year in the election of a Democratic administration.

Statistics show that at the present time in the United States there are engaged in different employments 26 women to every 100 men. In Philadelphia the proportion is 50 to 100. Half a century ago there were in Massachusetts only seven occupations open to women. Now there are 284. Twenty-two leading cities in the country show 342 occupations in which women find employment. This is progress in the right direction.—W.H. Star.

The most difficult problem that will be presented to the incoming Legislature will be the same one that has puzzled every Legislature that has assembled since time began, viz: How to equalize taxation? It is a question of supreme importance. It is a fact everywhere admitted that all citizens are not taxed equally, and that there is need of some method that will equalize taxation and compel all to bear their proportionate burdens of the government.—Raleigh Chronicle.

It is strange, passing strange, that so little is known in the outside world, of the wonderful resources of Eastern North Carolina. No other country offers greater inducements to the capitalist seeking investment for his money, or the industrious man of small means who wishes to invest his little all, in a country that will guarantee him the greatest return. Rich in the wonderful wealth of forest, rich in vast fisheries and, better than all, its agricultural interest the most profitable in the world. Let the capitalist come and see for himself and he will become quickly convinced that judicious investments will bring him in greater and surer returns than any where else he can invest money. Let the man of moderate means, carefully examine into our resources and he will surely be convinced that in no other country can he cast his lot where wealth will more surely follow energy and industry.—Nashville Argonaut.

Is the north better educated than the south? Many people who have always lived south think so. They believe that not only are the well-to-do among northerners more learned than the same class among southerners, but that the northern masses also have more book knowledge than the southern masses. If we except the negroes there is little ground for this belief. On the contrary I am confident that the southern white men and women of all classes are quite as highly educated as their Northern brothers and sisters. I am strengthened in this belief by reading the report of the New York State Superintendent of Public Instruction for the year ending July 25, 1890. According to that report there are 800,000 children over five years old in this state who did not go to school at all last year; moreover, the average daily attendance at school was 1,000,000 less than the total number of children of school age.

THREE RINGING SPEECHES.

Chances of the Force Bill.—The People demand Financial Legislation.—The probability of an extra session and other matters before Congress.

(Regular Correspondence.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 5.

Senator Hoar enjoyed his New Year's day dinner less even than his Christmas dinner if it were possible. Senator Stewart spoiled his Christmas dinner by his speech against the Force bill and his appetite for his dinner was killed by a grand triple attack upon his pet scheme for getting even with the South by Senator's Wolcott, Teller and Hale. The first named Senator fired broadside after broadside into the Force bill of unanswerable argument; the groundwork of his logic being opposition to enacting a law for the purpose of placing an acknowledged ignorant and incompetent majority over an intelligent majority. He stated plainly that if there were a majority of ignorant negro voters in the State of Colorado, solidly opposed to the united intelligent white votes, that in some way and by some method the white vote would govern. That he is a broad gauge man the following words from his speech fully demonstrate: "For a quarter of a century, out from poverty and despair, the South has been reaching forth in efforts to plant its foot on the solid rock of material prosperity; and in view of the marvellous growth and transformation now taking place in the Southern States, I believe it would be unwise and unpatriotic for us to interfere in the conduct of its internal affairs."

Senator Teller's speech was a ringing demand for the shelving of the Force bill and the enactment of the financial legislation demanded by the people of the country, which he described as being on the very verge of a financial panic.

Senator Hale's remarks, which probably hurt the would-be leader from Massachusetts more than all the rest, was an attack upon Mr. Hoar charging him with being responsible for the month's time which has been wasted in consideration of the Force bill, and demanding the speedy disposal of that measure in order that other and more necessary legislation might have a chance. Mr. Hale also took occasion to give the closure or gag rule now pending, which he says is altogether needless, a few hard raps. Take them all in all they were three of the most remarkable speeches ever made in Congress outside of a secret caucus against a party measure by members of the same party.

And yet, there is a well grounded fear on the part of democratic Senators that by the vigorous use of the party whip and the administration patronage the bill may be passed. If it ever reaches a vote, which it will not do if the democrats can by any means prevent it. In order to defeat it upon a vote, assuming that every Senator will be in his seat or paid, it is necessary that eight republicans should vote against it, and only three have yet openly announced their intention of so voting, although there are a dozen or more who have privately expressed themselves as being opposed to it.

One thing is evident it will have to be passed or laid aside within the next ten days; other legislation, particularly financial, is crowding it, and Senator Hoar is reported to have said to-day that if it was not passed next week it would never pass. The administration has all the detectives of the Post-office department working on the recent killing of the post-master at Carrollton, Mississippi, in order to try to make capital to help push the bill through, notwithstanding letters in the possession of Senator George F. Hoar on the leading citizens of the town, including its most influential minister, stating that politics had nothing whatever to do with the killing.

Treasury department officials are now preparing the annual deficiency bill. It will be the largest in the history of the country, aggregating about \$75,000,000, nearly half of which is for pensions. These deficiencies were deliberately made by the republicans in Congress at the last session for the purpose of blinding the votes of the country to the amount of money that was being spent by that party.

Senator Hearst is somewhat better than he has been for several weeks, though still a very sick man.

The Civil Service Commission has jumped on Mr. Wamamaker to the extent of several newspaper columns because of his criticism of its methods in his annual report. This is repudiated by many as an attack upon Mr. Harrison, who approved the report of the Post-master General or it would not have been made public, and so we people think that there may be vacancies in the commission before long. The country could get along if the whole business was abolished.

Democrats are by no means

anxious for an extra session of Congress, but as now looks almost certain, one has been necessary by the failure of the Republicans to pass the regular appropriation bills they will not complain. They are ready to do their duty, but they wish the responsibility for an extra session to be placed where it rightfully belongs—on the Republicans.

THE THIRD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.—OFFICIAL VOTE OF HON. B. F. GRADY.

A mistake has been going the rounds of the papers in relation to the Congressional vote of the Third Congressional District that needs to be corrected. Some of them have it that the Hon. Mr. Cowles received the largest majority of any Democratic Congressman elected. Others say that the Hon. S. B. Alexander, of Wilmington district, received the largest majority. These are mistakes. The official count shows that the Hon. B. F. Grady, who had not before run for office at the ballot box, received the largest majority. His majority was 8,807, while that of Mr. Alexander was 7,300. Mr. Grady's vote shows his great strength with the people. There is not a more popular Democrat in the State, nor a better man, than the Hon. A. S. Morrison, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. In every county of the Third District Mr. Grady ran ahead of Judge Merrimon. Not only did he poll the full Democratic strength of his district, but quite a number of republican of the various counties also voted for him. The result shows that he is popular with all classes, colors, and conditions of the people of his district, and that the convention that nominated him at Clinton, acted wisely and well. As he was a stranger to most of the people of the district, curiosity was stirred as to what sort of a man he was. His intercourse with the people and his speeches in the various counties have given abundant satisfaction and gratification to his friends and his party in and out of the district. He won golden opinions wherever he went and spoke. His speeches were judicious, impressive and able. While there are not in them many of the flowers of rhetoric or any of the brilliancy of the orator, they possess the highest character of being forcible, logical and statesman-like. Mr. Grady, though a new man, has convinced the people that he is a man of no little originality, of fine powers of investigation and of superior intellectual endowments. He made an excellent record, and gave a high character to his successful canvass, in the late campaign. Most and retiring, he requires to be known in order to be admired and appreciated. He is one of those enquiring and thinking men, so much needed in these days, who has a mind capable of groping and prying with the practical economic questions of the day, and these gave subjects of constitutional law now demanding the study of the ablest statesman of the country. The product of country life, his environments have made him full of devotion to, and sympathy for, the farming and industrial classes, among whom he has thus far spent his useful life. Nor is he without that personal integrity and high moral character so much needed in public as well as private life. His garments are unsoiled and his life unstained by any acts that he would desire to conceal from public view. And then, for many years, he has unostentatiously presented the crowning virtue of a consistent membership in the Presbyterian church. It is not merely variegated and most intellectual men who are now needed in our halls of legislation, but those of high personal integrity and moral principle and religious character.

In all these respects those competent men, who know Mr. Grady best, predict that he will make a most useful and efficient representative. Moreover, if there is anything in blood that courses his veins blood as patriotic and loyal as that of any family in North Carolina. No braver soldier fought in the Confederate service, he was in the war from its beginning to its close and bears upon his person the effects of wounds received in hard fought battles. His younger brother Frank, who left college to enter as a private soldier in a service struggle with the enemy. Both were kinsmen of the late Capt. W. S. Grady of Clingman's brigade who bravely fell in one of the battles around Petersburg, and for whom a monument has been erected. He was the honored father of the late and much lamented Henry W. Grady of Atlanta, Ga. Our own B. F. Grady is also in the line of descendants of the Revolutionary Grady who fought and fell at the battle of Moore's Creek where a monument now stands in honor of him and General Lillington. It is no discredit to our new representative to say that he is no politician.

Machine politics are not congenial with his nature and habits. He is too much of a friend of the people to engage in the trickery of political life but breathes the higher and purer atmosphere of a Statesman.

The late election gives him, as it should every true Democrat, much hope because it does not seem to be a mere whim of the people. Rather does it seem to indicate that the struggling masses, borne down for the last twenty-five years by the plutocracy in the shape of money kings, are determined to throw off this alling and intolerable yoke of their oppression. They see that the fundamental principles of our government are more than ever in danger of destruction by those who have enacted the Federal laws during the last twenty-five years. Our thinning people, under the influence of patriotic impulses, reinforced by a growing sense of insecurity, are sounding the alarm with a view of averting the impending storm, so threatening to the present and coming generations. They see the necessity of rising to high patriotic duty, that soars above blind partisanship and sectional zeal. The signs of the times clearly show that the hearts of the people have been warmed anew with the ennobling sentiments of the "Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man." Revolutions of public sentiment, like that of the recent elections, are calling our purest and best men to the front and commanding smaller men, who have been so unworthily ruling since the late war, to take back seats. The political atmosphere must be purified. The professional politician, who has been so long thriving upon the ignorance and prejudice of the masses must go. —Rusticus.

Our Farmers' Column.

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO THOSE WHO TILL THE SOIL.

"There is no material progress that is well based and permanent without agricultural progress."

MAKE YOUR COMPOSTS.

Manure should be carefully saved, best under shelter where rains cannot reach it nor sun overheat it. It is the best basis we can have for a compost, as in fermenting it aids decomposition in the other materials of the compost which need it. For a corn or cotton compost (the following is a good formula for a ton): Stable manure.....600 lbs. Kainit.....200 " Acid phosphate.....800 " Cotton seed.....400 "

HOG CHOLERA.

Hog cholera, a contagious disease, is caused by a bacillus, which multiplies in the large intestines principally, but is also found in the blood and all parts of the body after death. The disease occurs in all sections of the country, but particularly in the West and South, where large herds of hogs are kept. The best mode of preventing its outbreak is to put all imported hogs in pens separate from other hogs, and keep them separate for three or four weeks. If during this time neither drove of hogs shows any signs of sickness they may be safely put together.

All affected hogs should be killed and burned, or be deeply buried; but mistakes are often made, and care should be taken to make sure that the sick hogs have cholera before they are destroyed. Pans where affected hogs have been kept should be cleaned and left vacant for six months. The most prominent symptoms of the hog cholera are a loss of appetite, considerable elevation of temperature and constipation, followed by fluid discharges before death. In some acute cases there is a little diarrhoea before death; in other cases it is a marked symptom for some days. Death may occur within two or three days of the time when the symptoms are first noticed, or it may not take place under three or four weeks.

ARE OF STOCK. During this season, stock should receive the most careful

attention. They need to be confined the greater part of the time, and if they are kept in thrifty condition good care will be necessary. It is too often the case that in winter, because stock is confined in the stables and sheds, it is not considered necessary to feed and water them with any regularity. But if the animals are to be kept in good thrifty condition at the lowest possible cost, it is even more imperative that they be fed and watered regularly in winter than in summer. Then they can pick up more or less of their own way, but in severe weather they must depend entirely upon what is supplied to them. Keep the stock clean and comfortable by supplying plenty of bedding, as it will aid in keeping them in sound health, and will save feed. Stock should be kept getting in winter as well as in summer, and they can be if proper care is taken.—Observer.

FROM NATURE'S STOREHOUSE.

Comes all the component parts of S. S. S. There is no chemical nor anything which comes from the chemist's shop contained in it. S. S. S. is there fore a perfectly safe and harmless remedy, yet so powerful is it that it has never failed to cure Blood Poison. It always cures Scrofula, is taken before some vital part is so seriously impaired as to render a cure impossible. It relieves Mercurial Rheumatism, and cures all sorts of Eruptions, Pimples, Blisters, etc., by eliminating the poison from the blood. S. S. S. has cured thousands of cases of Skin Cancer, and many cases of Scirrhus Cancer. It is no experiment to take S. S. S.

For treatment on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free.

SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Georgia.

A Wonder Worker.

Mr. Frank Hoffman, a young man of Burlington, Vt., states that he had been under the care of two prominent physicians, and used their treatment until he was not able to get around. They pronounced his case to be consumption and incurable. He was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds and at that time was not able to walk across the street without resting. He found, before he had used half of a dollar bottle, that he was much better. He continued to use it and is today enjoying good health. If you have a Cough, Lung or Chest Trouble, try it. We guarantee satisfaction. Trial bottle free at R. H. Holliday's Drugstore, Clinton, and John R. Smith, drugist, Mt. Olive, N. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS — NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A SALE!

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The coldest and most inclement part of winter is yet to come. Some may hunt for the best part of the winter's trade is past because the holidays have come and gone. Not so with us. We believe that the time to sell goods is ALL THE TIME. Acting on this belief we announce a

SPECIAL SALE

OF SEASONABLE ARTICLES at prices that will insure their speedy taking off. Don't fail to stop in and inquire the price of anything you may want in the way of

LADIES' CLOAKS AND SHAWLS, HOODS AND FACINATORS, LADIES' AND GENTS' HEAVY GLOVES, MERINO AND ALL WOOL UNDERWEAR, BLANKETS, FLANNELS AND LAP ROBES.

Shoes, Shoes, Shoes!

When people want anything in this line they know that we always have the LARGEST STOCK, THE BEST GOODS AND LOWEST PRICES.

WE LIKE IT To be so understood and are determined to keep up our reputation.

WARE

In this department we call special attention to our stock of Spades, Shovels, Pitch Forks, Briar Hooks, Boxed Axes, Grab Hoes, Plow Lines, Back Bands, etc. PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, KALSOMINE AND PAINT-BRUSHES, WINDOW GLASS, SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS. Don't fail to get our prices on these goods before buying.

OLD JANUARY

Takes his place in the mythology of the present. In it we look back with pleasure on the successful year just closed, and look forward with hope to the year to come. We have made many new friends and have kept all our old ones. To them all we extend our hearty thanks and wish them a happy and prosperous New Year.

For 1891 we are going to make mightier efforts than ever before to win your trade. Respectfully,

A. F. JOHNSON & CO.

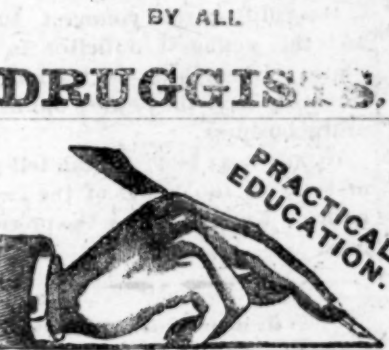
NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mexican Mustang Liniment

for MAN and BEAST

FOR Forty Years THE STANDARD.

For Sale BY ALL DRUGGISTS.



Commercial College of Ky. University, Lexington, Ky. Cheapest & Best Business College in the World. Highest Honor and Gold Medal over all other Colleges at World's Exposition. For System of Book-keeping and General Business Education. 10,000 Graduates in Business. 1000 Students annually. 15 Teachers employed. Cost of Full Business Course, including tuition, board, and laundry, about \$100. Short Course, Typing, Writing, and Book-keeping, about \$50. For circular address, send for circular address, send for circular address, send for circular address.

Many Persons Are looking down from overwork or household cares. Brown's Iron Bitters rebuilds the system, aids digestion, removes excess of bile, and cures malaria. Get the genuine.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



OUR

SPECIAL

CLOSING SALE

HAS BEGUN.

The entire stock of winter

CLOTHING,

HATS AND SHOES

Is to be closed out. The prices are below anything ever before offered.

We have hundreds of odd Suits, odd Pants, Coats and Vests and they have to be sold before we go north for our

Spring Stock!

All goods to be sold for Cash.

M. HANSTEIN,

King Clothier and Hatter,

CLINTON, N. C.

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PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

How to Advertise.
We do not wish large advertisements, but a number of small ones for a year. It is not size but time that we prefer.

RATES.
ADVERTISING:
1 inch 1 week, \$1.00 (6 in.) 1 wk., \$3.50
1 " 1 mo., \$1.50 " " 1 " 1 yr., \$15.00
1 " 1 wk., \$2.00 " " 1 " 1 yr., \$20.00
1 " 1 mo., \$3.00 " " 1 " 1 yr., \$30.00
1 " 1 yr., \$25.00 " " 1 " 1 yr., \$25.00
1 col. 1 week, \$5.00
1 " 1 mo., \$15.00 An extra charge is made for position.
SUBSCRIPTION:
One year, \$1.00
Six months, .50
Three months, .25
Wants, Business Locals, Reading Notices, Cards, etc., will be inserted at ten cents per line (six words) for first insertion and at five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Obituaries published free if not more than ten lines (sixty words); five cents for each additional line (six words each). This charge is made, as you will see, simply as a check on length.

Communications discussing the topics of the day, if to the point and briefly expressed will be published in column headed "A Forum of Public Opinion."
Communications containing strictly news items will always be welcomed and published with pleasure. By sending such news items frequently you will help both your community and the paper.
When you wish your address changed, give old as well as new office.
Address all communications and business letters to
THE CAUCASIAN, Clinton, N. C.
Matters of a private nature should be marked "Personal" and addressed to
MARION BUTLER, Clinton, N. C.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Editor "Wants" and Business Notices can be inserted in this column at ten cents a line.
Mr. Editor: Ask twenty Clinton ladies in succession what plaster they consider the most strengthening, the most soothing, the most healing, and in all respects the most desirable, and nineteen of them will promptly answer, LEWIS' BACKACHE PLASTER, or 9-17.

Remember the closing sale which is now going on at M. HANSTEIN'S store. See new ad.

I have a large lot of Hats for sale. Men's white brim, low crown Hats; Men's Dress Hats, Boy's Hats and Caps. The best white Linen Shirts in this country for 50 cents. Harmonicas, Jew's Harps and Accordions. A full line of Groceries. The best Cigars. Respectfully,
B. F. POWELL.

If you wish to obtain the highest prices for your Mink, Coon, Fox, Otter, or Goat Hides, carry them to M. HANSTEIN. It will pay you to do it.

Just received an early invoice of New Spring Gingham and other goods suitable for the time of year and pockets of all at
W. S. PARTRICK'S.

I want to buy 200 pounds of new Geese Feathers. Will pay cash or trade. Respectfully,
B. F. POWELL.

AT A GREAT REDUCTION.
I have moved the remnant of my stock of goods into my store at the depot. Come around and get bargains. I am closing out at a great reduction. J. A. FERRELL.

The finest line of Ruchings, Collar-ette's, etc., ever shown in Clinton, is at
W. A. JOHNSON'S.

PAID READING NOTICES.

Editor "Wants" and Reading Notices can be inserted under this head for 10 cents per line.
NOTICE.—The two Doctors, M. F. Ivey and brother, will be in Clinton February 10th, 1891. Any one afflicted with Cancer or Warts can be cured by them on application.
Ja 8-31*

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the next General Assembly of North Carolina for an Act of the Assembly incorporating the Clinton Loan Association. This December 30th, 1890.
By order of the Stockholders.
Ja 4 W. L. FAISON, Sec'y.

The Best and Cheapest College.

Attend the Commercial College of Kentucky University, Lexington, Ky. It received the Gold Medal at World's Exposition—Read advertisement. De-11-6t.

MARKETS.

CLINTON.

(Reported by A. F. JOHNSON & Co.)
Corn (new) 60
Pearl 60
Beans 15 to 20
Chickens 8 to 10
Eggs 15 to 20
Butter 20 to 25
Lard 10 to 12
Flour 5.00 to 6.00
Hides 3.00 to 4.00
Turpentine (hard) 2.00
Turpentine (Virgin and Yellow Dip) 2.00
Cotton 84

WILMINGTON.

Spirits Turpentine 35 per gallon
Hops (strained) 1.10 per barrel
" (good strained) 1.20 per barrel
Tar 81.75 per barrel
Crude Turpentine (Virgin) 81.20
" (Hard) 1.90
Yellow Dip 1.90
Cotton 84
Timber, per m., 3.00 to 12

Beware of Ointment for Catarrh that Contains Mercury.

As Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine, it is taken internally and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Sold by Druggist, price 75c per bottle.

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Notice—A. H. Gilles.
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Notice—Isaac Williams.
Heads Wins, Tails Lose.
Our Annual—M. Hanstein.
Dissolution—W. S. Partrick.
A Sale—A. F. Johnson & Co.
Tobacco Seed—R. L. Ragland.
Notice of Sale—Henry E. Faison.
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LOCALS.

—Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Turner opened the spring terms of their schools on last Monday.

—Mr. Richard Mosely's store on Fayetteville street is being treated with a new covering and other improvements.

—Miss Mary Ferrell left town last Sunday morning to accept the position as teacher in the art department of Salem High School.

—Rev. O. P. Meeks occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning and at night. His sermons were good and the congregations attentive.

—The young gentlemen of the various colleges in the State, that came home to spend the holidays, have returned to their respective posts of learning.

—Dr. A. Holmes requests us to return thanks to the citizens of Clinton for their successful efforts in saving his dwelling from the flames yesterday morning.

—Mr. W. T. Williamson's new residence, on McKoy street, is nearing completion. It is a snug cottage, and is quite an addition to the appearance of the street.

—The Bazaar party given by Mr. and Mrs. M. Hanstein on last Friday evening was one of the most pleasant occasions of the holiday season. The elegant fruit supper which followed was more entertaining if anything, than the Bazaar.

—The prizes offered by M. Hanstein to the holder of the largest of (his) prize tickets were won by Mr. B. C. Turlington, the Suit of Clothes; Mr. S. J. Chesnut, the Overcoat; Mr. Wm. Britt, the fifty yards of Bleaching; Mr. J. C. Wright, the Boy's Suit; Mr. Robt. Lewis, the Hat.

—About 11 o'clock yesterday morning the town was alarmed by the ringing of the fire bell. The place of the fire was soon known to be at the residence of Dr. A. Holmes. Before the crowd had full gathered the fire was checked. The cause of the fire is thought to have been caught by a spark on the roof.

—Has THE CAUCASIAN diminished any in circulation during the past year? Why, bless you, no! On last Thursday it greeted more readers with "A Happy New Year" than ever before in its history. "Haven't you lost some subscribers?" Yes. "Then what has caused the great increase of new subscribers?" Simply because we have condemned wrong and defended right, printed the news and advocated the people's rights.

—Rev. J. M. Ashby, the new pastor to the Methodist church here and for Clinton circuit, preached his initial sermon last Sunday morning to a pretty fair congregation; there being services in the Baptist church. Mr. Ashby starts off splendidly in his new field of labor. His sermon Sunday morning was instructive and edifying, and commanded the attention of his hearers. He entertained the Sunday school in the afternoon a short while, which added encouragement to the teachers and scholars. The sermon at night was a deep and interesting one and elicited a searching study of the Scriptures. The adversaries, defeats and failures of this life are sorrowful trials, were the subjects of the divine, and the sweet and precious promises of God's Word were the comforting balm for the true Christian. Text: And the ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads: they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away. Isaiah, xxxv chap., 10th v.

—Died, on last Monday morning, about 3 o'clock, Mrs. Malvina Butler, wife of J. L. Butler, of this town. She was about 58 years of age and a consistent member of the Episcopal Church. She had been confined to her death-bed with that fatal disease, consumption, for more than 6 months, waiting for the final moment to be relieved from her pain and suffering to be accepted into an everlasting home of peace and of love. The funeral ceremonies were performed in St. Paul's Church by Rev. J. W. Turner, at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. After the funeral services were over her body was taken to the cemetery and there interred in its quiet home. She was a devoted wife, a kind, tender and affectionate mother and had so lived. We venture to say, as to die without a single enemy, but well thought of, honored and respected by all who knew her. She leaves a husband, three sons, and numerous friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

CONSUMPTION SURELY CURED.

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my ready cure to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully,
T. A. SLOCUM, M. C., 181 Pearl st., New York.

JUDGE F. K. FARRAR.

A Literary Treat in Store for the People of Clinton.

At the earnest solicitation of some of our citizens, Judge F. K. Farrar, the celebrated lecturer, has agreed to deliver his famous lecture, "Johnnie Reb," in Clinton, on Thursday night, the 29th inst. All in whose power it is to do so should hear him. In speaking of this lecture the Wilmington Messenger of Dec. 3rd has this to say:

The lecture told the story of the social, financial and military life of "Johnnie Reb," from the time of his birth to the end of the civil war; and narrated prominent events of his life and character since the furling of the "bonny blue flag." He described in most vivid manner, "Johnnie Reb's" trials and tribulations, his conquests, his triumphs and his glory.

The audience were drawn to tears by and scenes, so pathetically brought and embodied with laughter at the amusing incidents in the life of "Johnnie Reb," in general, and "Tar Heels" in particular. The recollections of the intellectual feast of last night will ever remain fresh in the memory of all who heard Judge Farrar. He will always be a welcome and highly appreciated visitor to our city.

Sampson's Law Makers.

IN THE HOUSE.

W. K. Pigford.—He was born in 1848 and is therefore forty-two years old. He is a native of New Hanover and located in Sampson in 1869. He is a large and prosperous farmer and has been a useful citizen. He is now President of the Sampson County Agricultural Society and made the last Fair a big success. He has previously served in that capacity. He is also President of the County Farmers' Alliance, which is the strongest and at the same time the most conservative Alliance in the State. He is a strong man as a citizen, progressive, and at the same time conservative. Legislation that he favors and supports will be safe and to the best interest of the great mass of the people.

R. K. Bell.—He is a sixty-second year. He is a native of Sampson, a good citizen and a good farmer. He is truly a representative man and will serve the best interests of his constituents. He was in the General Assembly of 1887 and the convention of 1890 endorsed his course in that body. He is Master of Belmont (108) Lodge of A. F. and A. Masons, has for a number of years served as magistrate and was a member of the Board of Education at the time of his election. He will serve the interests of his people in the present Legislature. We congratulate the county upon having such representatives as Pigford and Bell, and at the same time congratulate them upon having the honor to represent such a county.

IN THE SENATE.

Marion Butler—He is the editor and proprietor of this paper and will try to represent the 14th district in the present Senate.

Installation of Officers.

At a regular meeting of Clinton Lodge No. 124 I. O. O. F., held January 6th, 1891, the following officers were installed to serve the term of six months, ending June 30th, 1891:
O. F. Herring, N. G.
J. S. Bizzell, V. G.
W. J. Pugh, Rec. Sec.
G. A. Clute, Fin. Sec.
G. T. Rawls, Treas.
T. D. Smith, Warden.
Junius Lewis—Conductor.
J. R. Wedding, O. G.
W. H. Turner, I. G.
Julian Lewis, R. S. to N. G.
J. W. Underwood, L. S. to N. G.
B. Underwood, R. S. to V. G.
W. J. McArthur, L. S. to V. G.
W. R. King, R. S. S.
P. F. Stevens, L. S. S.
J. W. Turner, Chap.
W. G. Rackley, S. P. G.

Sampson Light Infantry.

The annual election of officers of this organization was held at their armory last Friday, resulting in the re-election of all the old officers:
Captain, Wm. A. Johnson.
First Lieut., T. H. Partrick.
Second Lieut., A. H. Herring.
The report of the treasurer shows the company to be in good financial condition. Some change will probably occur in the number of men in ranks as Captain Johnson is determined that men who do not attend drill and parade of the company shall be dropped from the roll.

A Letter That Pleased the Editor.

Now and then we see articles on "How to Write to a Newspaper," and we give the following, received on Wednesday evening of last week from an old friend of ours now in Kansas, which we recommend as a perfect model for newspaper writers, who should never omit the first clause under any pretense:
Mr. Marion Butler—Dear Sir—Inclosed find three dollars, which I wish placed to my subscription to THE CAUCASIAN. Politically we are all happy out here. Our roosters are all tearing their denuded throats, each trying to crow the loudest. We have had an unfavorable season for everything but grass, which is a heavy crop; corn is almost a failure on upland; potatoes half crop, and oats the same. Apples scarce, as were also plums and grapes. Black and raspberries a heavy crop. Health of the country good.
BROWN'S IRON BITTERS
Cures Indigestion, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Malacia, Nervousness, and General Debility. Physicists recommend it. All dealers sell it. Genuine has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

All Through Sampson.

What Sampsonians are Doing and Saying.

Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to this paper has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "his" neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it.

FRANKLIN.

The oyster supper at Kerr last Wednesday night, the 31st, for the benefit of Hickory Academy proved to be quite a success.

There was quite an enjoyable masquerade party at Dr. Murphy's last Thursday night. There was a family reunion at Mr. F. J. Herring's the first day of January. All of his brothers and sisters were present.

During the Xmas holidays one of the young bachelors of Black River went to a party. While he was absent some one went to his residence and had a jolly time tearing down fences and upsetting things in general.

DISMAL.

Mr. G. I. Smith, the former teacher at Clement Model School, has moved back to his residence in Honeycutt's township.

Rev. F. R. Underwood and family passed through this section on last Wednesday, on their way to Autryville.

Rev. W. M. Page moved from this township into Cumberland county last week.

There was a large crowd at the picnic at Wade All on last Thursday, and it was a very enjoyable occasion. The only disappointment that it was so that Senator Butler and E. G. Edwards, two speakers of the day, could not be present. After dinner was over the audience was called in the house and entertained in short but pointed speeches by Messrs. Daniel Royal, D. W. Williams and J. R. Brown, of Sampson. Everybody regretted very much that Mr. Butler could not address the large audience for Eastern Cumberland was as strong for him in his election as was Western Sampson.

TURKEY.

Died, on yesterday, January 7th, Mrs. R. H. Huffman. She was a good citizen, and will be greatly missed.

LISON.

Mr. J. G. Hall, of this township, made eight bales of cotton on seven acres of land, the past year. He also made about seventy-five barrels of corn and other farm produce in proportion, on a one-horse farm. Mr. Hall is a good farmer and a worthy citizen.

SOUTH CLINTON.

Married, on Thursday, the first day of January, 1891, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. C. A. Williamson, by M. M. Killeet, J. P., Mr. D. E. Alderman and Miss Fannie Williamson.

MC DANIELS.

Miss Sallie Herring, of Wilson, is visiting at Mr. John Wright's.

WESTBROOKS.

Died, on January 1st, 1891, Mrs. Mary Laura Strickland, wife of W. J. Strickland. She was 31 years and one day old. She was a good woman and will be greatly missed.

Mr. E. H. Westbrook was so unfortunate about a week ago as to get a leg broken by an ox running away and is still suffering very much from the wounds.

Messrs. B. G. E. Daughtry and A. D. Tart had the misfortune one day last week to lose a bale of cotton by fire and came near losing their gin and other property.

This morning, January 8th, 1891, at 11 o'clock, Mr. C. H. McLamb will lead to the hymeneal altar Miss Lucinda West, R. K. Herring, Esq., making them one. Cupid did not furnish us with the names of the to be attendants.

HALLS.

Misses Ronie and Docia Ezzell, who have been visiting Miss Gertrude Taylor and other relatives of this section, have returned home.

MINGO.

Mr. Editor: As it seems that Mingo has not been represented for the last few weeks I will say that she is going on very finely.

M. Bell has a flourishing school just over the line in Johnston county, with sixty-two pupils on roll. The Xmas exercises were largely attended and enjoyed very much by all present.

It seems that Mingo can head the record with marriages. Mr. Silas Baggett was married on the first day of January, 1891, to Miss Barbara Barefoot. The groom was 78 years old. The bride 54 years old. The attendants were as follows: Mr. N. D. Tart and Miss Louise Baggett; Mr. Noah Barefoot and Miss Othelia Baggett; Mr. Luther Baggett and Miss Susan Barefoot.

On the 26th of December, after a hog killing, N. R. Smith and his brother George became engaged in a fight. N. R. Smith cutting George about three inches deep on the back of the thigh, severing the sinews, and about five inches long, striking him at the ear and cutting him to the other, skin deep. George cutting N. R. in the lower part of the abdomen a gash about nine inches long. They were somewhat under the influence of whiskey.

LIGHTWOOD-KNOT.

Married, on Christmas Day, Mr. W. H. Warren to Mrs. Anna Maria Warren. R. K. Herring officiating.

Personals.

Mr. A. F. Johnson left Monday for Philadelphia.

Prof. Canon, of Warsaw, was in town last Sunday.

Mr. D. T. Oates has left for Lenoir, S. C., where he will be located in the future.

Miss Mary Vann, of Duplin, is visiting in Clinton—guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Rackley.

Mr. D. J. Rogers, a former salesman for Mr. T. M. Ferrell, left this morning for South Carolina.

Miss Maggie Hargrove, of Kenansville, who has been visiting at Capt. Partrick's, has returned.

Mr. John McDowell, of Sumner, Ga., is spending a few days in town. He gave our sanctum a pleasant call.

Mr. J. Thomas Butler, of Bethel Hill, arrived in town last Monday night on account of the death of his mother.

Mr. G. H. Haigh, a former editor of the Fayetteville Observer, gave our office a pleasant call on Tuesday last.

Mr. W. S. Partrick, one of Clinton's enterprising young merchants, was in Wilmington Tuesday on business.

Rev. A. A. Butler, of Wake Forest College, is at home, on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Malvina Butler.

Mr. Albert Seaman, who has been in Wilmington for the past few months, has returned to his home in this town. We heartily welcome him in his return.

Mr. Franklin Tew, of Giles' Mills, this county, left for Fentress, Ga., Monday. Before he left he paid our office a pleasant call and instructed the mailing clerk to forward THE CAUCASIAN to him in Georgia, that it served as a letter from Sampson every week.

New Year's Number.

Very dainty and graceful in design is the cover of The Double New Year's Number of "The Youth's Companion," in its shades of red and brown. Inside we find a new Serial Story, entitled "Kent Hampden," by that delightful writer, Rebecca Harding Davis, and in addition there are Five Short Stories, well illustrated, besides poems and articles of popular information, to suit all tastes and ages. A notable article by Prof. Shaler, of Harvard University, on the Earth, is the first in a series of articles on Recent Discoveries in Science, to be written by the most eminent living scientists. Reading such a number as this, it is easy to understand why "The Companion" has gained the largest circulation of any weekly paper in the world. All its stories appeal in the widest way to human sympathy, and are calculated to please not only young people, but their elders as well. That such a paper, so beautifully illustrated, and written by the most eminent of living authors, can be sold for \$1.75 a year, is really marvellous.

THE YOUNGEST SENATOR.

The Chief of a Railroad Commission.

Mr. Marion Butler, Senator from Sampson, reached Raleigh yesterday and is at the Yarrowburgh. He will be the youngest member of the Senate. Mr. Butler is editor of THE CLINTON CAUCASIAN, and has been writing a series of interesting articles upon the importance of establishing a Railroad Commission—State Chronicle.

IN MEMORIAM.

First ten lines free, 5 cents (half of advertising rates) for each subsequent line, counting 6 words to the line.

ALEXANDER STANFORD.

Died, December 23d, 1890, at the residence of his son, Rev. J. D. Stanford, in Kenansville, N. C., the venerable ALEXANDER STANFORD, in the 87th year of his age. He was a son of the late Rev. Samuel Stanford (the pioneer of Presbyterianism in this part of the State.) He belonged to the Masonic Fraternity for over fifty years and shared in the confidence of the people of Duplin county, having occupied the position of Register of Deeds and that of Justice of the Peace for many years. He leaves a widow and ten children with many friends to mourn their loss.
A FRIEND.
Wallace, N. C., Jan. 5, '91.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice of Sale!

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF the Superior Court, in the case of Maywood Peterson vs. J. J. Broadson and others, I will, on 1st Monday of February, 1891, at Clinton, N. C., by public auction, for cash, sell the following lands, described in the pleadings, lying and being in Lisbon township, bounded by the lands of J. D. Carter and others, containing one hundred and twenty-five acres more or less.

HENRY E. FAISON, Jan. 2, 1891.—Jan8-4t Com'r.

NOTICE.

BY VIRTUE OF POWER CONTAINED in a mortgage deed, executed to me by N. E. Bryant and wife, Margaret T. Bryant, on the 9th day of April, 1888, and duly registered in book No. 68, page 322, in the Register's office in Sampson county, I will sell, on the 23rd day of January, 1891, at the court house door in Clinton, N. C., for cash, by public auction, to the highest bidder, 25 acres of land, in Taylor's Bride township, adjoining the lands of A. J. Johnson and others, said lands are fully bounded and described in said deed.
J. A. JOHNSON, Jan. 8th, 1891.—tds Mortgage.

Notice of Sale!

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF the Superior Court, in the case of Strickland vs. Phillips and wife, I will, on 1st Monday of February, A. D. 1891, at the court house door in Clinton, N. C., by public auction, for cash, the following land: Beginning at a pine stump, starting at the corner, thence with an old marked line to a stake and pointers; thence south 24, west 23, to a stake in another old line; thence with said line south 87, east 13 chains to beginning, being situated on east side of Black River and containing thirty acres more or less.

HENRY E. FAISON, Jan. 2, 1891.—Jan8-4t Com'r.

NOTICE.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF the Superior Court of Sampson county, made in the case of A. B. Gilles, administrator of Gordon Smith against the heirs at law, on the 30th day of December, 1890, the undersigned, administrator of the late Gordon Smith, will sell, by public auction, at the court house door in Clinton on Monday, 2nd day of February, 1891, the lands belonging to the estate of the said Gordon Smith. Said land will be sold in six lots according to partition heretofore made among the heirs.

TERMS OF SALE—25 per cent. cash, and balance in twelve months. Title reserved until purchase money is paid in full.

A. B. GILLES, Adm'r.
F. R. COOPER, Atty'y.
This December 31, 1890.—Jan8-4t

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONER duly appointed by an order of the Superior Court of Sampson county, in the case of Isaac Williams, executor of B. Lee, deceased, against the heirs-at-law of the said B. Lee, will, on the 9th day of February, 1891, at the court house door in Clinton, N. C., at public auction, sell the lands of the said B. Lee, deceased, lying and being in Sampson county, Newton Grove township, and known as the "Cole place."

TERMS OF SALE—20 per cent. cash, and the balance in two equal payments, payable in six and twelve months, with 8 per cent. interest from day of sale, with good and approved security. Title reserved until the purchase money is paid in full.
ISAAC WILLIAMS, Exec't and Commissioner.
January 1st, 1890.—8-1t

YOU MAN OF BUSINESS,

How Much Can You Lift?

That depends on what you lift with. Archimedes said: "Give me a fulcrum on which to rest, and I will move the earth."

Many a business has enough

